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Attorney Docket No. 04860.P2439

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. X Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. X Specification (Total Pages 22)
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claims
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. X Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 11)
4. X Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 5)
 - a. X Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
 - b. Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed) (Note Box 5 below)
 - i. DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Copy
 - b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 - c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
9. ☐ a. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)
☐ b. Power of Attorney
10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. ☐ a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
☐ b. Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☐ a. Small Entity Statement(s)
☐ b. Statement filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☒ Other: Copy of postcard with Express Mail Certificate of Mailing
Petition for Acceptance of Color Drawings (with 3 sets of drawings)

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101	690	201	345	Utility application filing fee	<u>690.00</u>
106	310	206	155	Design application filing fee	_____
107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	_____
108	690	208	345	Reissue filing fee	_____
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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Independent Claims <u>4</u> - 3 = <u>1</u>	X	<u>78</u>	= <u>78.00</u>
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102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3	<u>78.</u>
104	260	204	130	Multiple dependent claim	<u>0</u>
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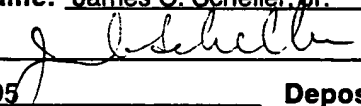
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	
116	380	216	190	Extension for response within second month	
117	870	217	435	Extension for response within third month	
118	1,360	218	680	Extension for response within fourth month	
128	1,850	228	925	Extension for response within fifth month	
119	300	219	150	Notice of Appeal	
120	300	220	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	260	221	130	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	430	243	215	Design issue fee	
144	580	244	290	Plant issue fee	
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123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	760	246	380	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	760	249	380	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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Serial/Patent No.: *** Filing/Issue Date: April 18, 2000

Client: Apple Computer, Inc.

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE SCREEN DISPLAY APPEARANCE FOR A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

BSTZ File No.: 04860. P2439 Atty/Secty Initials: JCS/clt

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**PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF COLOR DRAWINGS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b)**

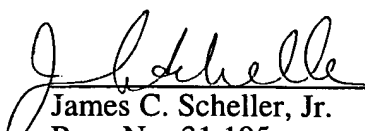
Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b), Applicant hereby petitions for acceptance of the enclosed color drawings as Figures 5A, 5B, 5C, 5D, 5E, and 5F in the above-referenced patent application. As required, three sets of color drawings are provided, and the petition fee of \$130.00 is enclosed. In addition, a complete set of drawings comprising eleven (11) sheets and eleven (11) figures is enclosed for the above-identified application. Acceptance of this Petition is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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